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ENGLISH AND AMERICAN EMBASSIES TO CHINA.

[Correspondence of N. Y. Journal of Commerce.] WASHINGTON, June 29. Our envoy to China-Mr. Reed-is about to lepart on his mission, with the good wishes of his friends and of the Government for his success, but not, I think, with much reason to exnect any extraordinary result from his own efports, unless as connected with those of England and France.

The Eritish embassy is already on its way to the flowery land. There is a very striking contrast between the two embassies in regard to their appointments, and facilities for prosecuting their objects.

Lord Elgin goes with an unlimited amount of atht and salary, and funds for contingencies. Not a word will ever be said in the way of obections to any of his amounts on drafts.

His first Secretary of Legation is Mr. Bruce, ately and for a long time Consul General in Egypt, and a man of large experience in affairs of the East. Another Secretary is Mr. Alcock, late Consul at Shanghai, who has resided in China ever since the port was opened, ten years years ago, and who, in addition to his salary, draws a pension of £750 a year, as a retired

The chief interpreter is Mr. Medhurst, who was brought up in China, and first and pupil, then a clerk, then interpreter for the Consular Courts, he has been ten years in the British consular service, and is probably the most kilful interpreter of the Chinese language now known. Attached to the Legation are also two British merchants, who have made their fortunes in China, after many years' residence, and who are competent to afford practical information upon all subjects connected with com-

The great Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company detailed a ship to convey Lord Elgin and his suite to China, which was voluntarily offered and accepted. On his arrival in the Chinese waters, Lord

Elgin and his suite will go on board a man-ofwar, from which they are to be landed, under salutes, and with a guard of honor, &c. At Hong Kong-a British colony-he takes possession of the Government House-an edifice larger, more magnificent, more comfortable, and better furnished than the President's Mansion here. Then he has a score or more of dispatch vessels-small steamers-which can communicate with every point, on the coast or rivers, when it may be desirable.

thousand men, and a large naval force, fitted for the peculiar service for which they may be employed, under his own exclusive orders. Mr. Reed, our Minister, is not allowed any outfit, and nothing but a stingy salary of thirteen thousand dollars a year. There is the very small allowance of two thousand dollars a

year for the Secretary of Legation; and the private secretaries, if he has any, he must pay out of his own pocket, besides providing for their subsistence. He has the advantage of being conveyed to

China in a fine frigate, the Minnesota. But our newspapers make a great mistake when they talk about showing the Chinamen a magnificent specimen of naval architecture; for the Minnesota cannot approach within eighty miles of any port in China. The Levant and San Jacinto, new steamers, both draw twenty-one feet of water, and the Portsmouth, not a steamer, draws the same. The English screw gun boats draw but six or seven feet.

But where is our Envoy, Mr. Reed, to find a residence in China? On board the Minnesota? He will be eighty miles off from the shore, and without facilities for communicating with it. There was some time ago a small American armed steamer there called the Confucius, belonging to a merchant house, and she was sold to the Governor of Shanghae. There is none now; and ne provision is to be made for one. Mr. Reed cannot go to Hong Kong, except as the invited guest of the British authorities; and in Macao, a Portuguese settlement, he

would be quite out of place. He can find no place on shore where to reside with his suite, unless, like Dr. Parker, his predecessor, he lives with American merchants. When at Shanghae, Dr. Parker was the guest of the American commercial house of Russell & Co., or rented fine rooms in the house of some American merchant. What sort of an impression does this make on the Chinese? Merchants are of no rank or consideration in that empire, according to the theory of the Chinese Government. No man can hold public office, unless he be a scholar and regular graduate. They think that merchants are men of money, know

nothing, and are governed only by sordid motives; and a foreign minister who lives with them they suppose to be under their influence, and fit for no employment except to buy and sell. Rank in society is based on literary acquirements. Years of study and a diploma are requisite to confer it, and to entitle a person to hold office. In the order of esteem, literary men come first, then laborers, artizans, and merchants; and last of all, soldiers. It would be ide to attempt to unsettle this long habit of opinion, and an Envoy who resides with the entailing an aggregate loss of \$953,000. The merchants, is considered as one of the same e ass, and cannot have any weight with the Chinese officials. Therefore, not even the British consuls at the five ports ever reside with a British merchant. They have independent es-

No arrangement has been made for Mr. Reed's residence, and none will be, except at his own expense, and in consequence of it he will be placed at great disadvantage.

It was with great difficulty that the Governor of Shanghae, Kei, was persuaded to give Dr. Parker an audience, partly for the reasons above mentioned, and finally he gave him a handsome reception, at the earnest desire of the American Consul, Mr. Murphy, with whom he was on good terms.

The British military expedition to China will be too late in the season, as Mr. Murphy thinks, to force their way to Peking. The moonsoons will blow the water off the coast, and leave the bays and inlets too shallow for any operations this fall; afterwards the typhoons set in, and havigation is hazardous.

Next April will be the earliest time at which an expedition to Peking could be successfully

The Emperor is always so much blinded by fals: reports from Canton and other southern provinces,-for the Governors dare not tell him the truth-that he would be taken by surprise at the arrival of the British, and no resistance would be made. They could take the city, but could not retain it long, for want of supplies, unless they could keep open their communications by the Pei-ho and the imperial canal.

They can take Canton immediately, and probably will do it. The hostilities of the British and French will no doubt serve to unite the rebels with the Imperialists in defence of the country; but against European arms, the hosts of China-men would be but mere chaff. The Chinese troops are mostly armed merely with spears. Only one man in ten is allowed a matchbek, or any piece of fire arms The Imperial Government is afraid to trust the military with superior weapons. Consul Murphy presented to the Governor of Shanghae a Colt's revolver, and suggested that the Imperial troops armed with that instrument would achieve an easy victory over the rebels But the Governor objected that the troops, possessed of so destructive a weapon, would overturn the Imperial Government. Nothing is so abhorrent to the natives of China as the idea of military rule; and it is Contrary to their fixed policy to put power in

military hands. As to the progress and prospects of the revolationary movement in China, Mr. Murphy thinks, with Mr. Humphrey Marshall, that the rebellion bodes no good to European nations, and will not promote the adoption of a liberal

e amercial policy. The Trieds have no settled policy. They aim at no great general result. They conquer a city, and for a while are content to live upon, and quarrel over, the spoils, and then they at-

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THE GREAT EASTERN.

The communication of Mr. A. Dudley Mann, Washington, June 25, addressed to the citizens of the South, completely settles the interesting question of the Great Eastern's port in this country. It is Portland, and that is a fixed fact. In October, 1855, Mr. Mann called upon Mr. Brunel, architect and originator of the Great Eastern, in order to ascertain what the chances were of inducing him to make the Chesapeake her destination. Mr. Brunel promptly replied that he could not hold out the slightest encouragement to such an idea, inasmuch as she was expressly intended for the Australian trade, and that in her design she had been arranged accordingly. After this interview, however, the constructor of the vessel became unable to comply with his engagements, an entire suspension in the construction occurred, the company became dispirited, and several of the stockholders were inclined to abandon the enterprise in despair, when, at this critical juncture, capitalists, having large interests in the Grand Canada Trunk Railroad, proposed to provide the amount required for her completion, upon the condition that she would run temporarily to Portland, instead of Australia. This proposition was assented to, not from choice, Mr. Mann conjectures, but from necessity, and the Great Eastern will, therefore, as Mr. Mann is assured on reliable authority, unquestionably proceed to Portland as soon as she is prepared for service, which, it is believed, will be in October; and from thence she may steam around to New York, (making the run in ten or twelve hours,) and remain there two or three days for profitable exhibition. As soon as she is removed from the stocks, the company will commence the construction of a companion for her in the Australian line, and the two will constitute regular packets between Milford Haven and Port Philip. Hence, it is thought by Mr. Mann that there is little likelihood that she will engage permanently in the trans-Atlantic trade.

There would appear to be no difficulty, however, in her obtaining a return cargo from Portland. Portland and Chicago, the great grain market of the world, are united by continuous and splendid railways. The railroad from Portland to Montreal is one of the finest on this continent, and from Montreal there is water navigation to Chicago and all the vast depositions of grain on the Western lakes. There is already direct trade between Chicago and Liverpool, and it is proposed to run lines of ocean steamers, of eight hundred tons bur-Besides all this, he has an army of twenty den, between those points. There is but one bublic work in the country which can compete with the mode by which Great Britain is carrying out her vast commercial projects with the North-western States. It is the much abused and despised James River Canal. Take the map, and look at the circuitous course and enormous distance by which the heavy products of the West traverse all the vast inland lakes from Chicago to the sea, and then observe the short, central and direct James river route. commanding all the great Western rivers and their tributaries, and resist, if you can, the conviction that the completion of a continuous water line from the Atlantic to the Ohio, and that alone, will bring Great Easterns to our ports, and make Virginia an Empire State .-Richmond Dispatch.

> WANT OF AN ARCHITECT. -There is a story on record of an architect repudiating any connection with the building fraternity, in the case of the late eminent and talented Mr. Alexander, the architect of Rochester Bridge, and several other fine buildings in the county of Kent. He was under cross examination, in a special jury case at Maidstone, by Sergeant-afterwards Baron-Garrow, who wished to detract from the weight of his testimony, and who, after ask ing what was his name, proceeded thus: "You are a builder, I believe?"

"No, sir; I am not a builder-I am a archi-

"Ah, well? Architect or builder, builder or architect, they are much the same, I suppose! "I beg your pardon, sir-I cannot admit that; I consider them to be totally different!" "Oh, indeed! perhaps you will state wherein

this great difference consists?" "An architect, sir, prepares the plans, conceives the designs, draws out the specifications; in short, supplies the mind. The builder is merely the bricklayer or the carpenter; the builder, in fact, is the machine-the architect.

the power that puts the machine together and sets it going." "Oh, very well, Mr. Architect-that will do! And now, after your very ingenious distinction without a difference, perhaps you could inform

the court who was the architect of the Tower of And now mark the reply, which, for promptness and wit, is perhaps not to be rivalled in the whole history of rejoinder:

"There was no architect, sir; and hence the confusion! FIRES FOR SIX MONTHS .- During the past

month there were twenty fires in the United States-exclusive of all losses less than \$10,000principal fires occurred in Brooklyn, N. Y., and

The following shows the loss by fire for the last six months: January 33 \$1,404,000 \$1,000,000

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February.....29

March......33

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The following is all United States of \$10 first of last January:	list of all losses 0,000 or upward	by fire in the
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6 19. St. Louis, drug store...... 190,000

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"AS WELL AS CAN BE EXPECTED."-The room 1 darkened. The curtains of the bed are drawn. The fire burns clear and bright; and, through a door that opens from the bedroom into the dressing-room, one can discern another brighter fire: a towel-borse, covered with small articles of delicate baby linen; a little cot, shaded with curtains of rose silk and white lace; and on the tiny pillow a small head in a little many frilled and reeved white cambric cap, a tiny, soft, velvet face of dusky red, the eyes so tightly closed as to form only two lines, the mouth the same, and the miniature fists, crimson as the face, tightly clenched, as if ready for the "battle of life." Ou a table, close to the little swing cot, was the bassinette-its central object and chief glory being a large, square, white satin pin-cushion, frilled with lace, studded with pins enough to last a life, if pins ever did last, and encircled by a silver wreath of the bright heads of these "friends

in need"-the words, "Welcome, sweet babe!" DUSTERS AND ZOUAVES .- The ladies are just now atticing themselves in a very neat walking wrapper or "duster," which certainly commends itself to good taste, and sits very gracefully upon a form begirt with hoops. This "habit," howwith the ladies. It originated with a class, of all others, perhaps, the most estranged from the sex. We mean the "Zouaves," that dauntless, yet isolated, body of French troops, went up the Malakoff hill amid the storm of iron rain. They first introduced the style of dress for fatigue purposes and called it "burnou." Those worn by the ladies are an exact pattern of the Zouave fatigue. Strange, is it not, that delicate women should adopt the war-worn fashions of the blooditack another province or city, and go through what originated in the necessities of the cam-

peign of the Crimea .- New York Day Book.

FOR RENT AND SALE.

FOR SALE.—A very desirable RESIDENCE, being a Lot fronting 22 feet 10 inches, by 116 feet deep, to an an alley 25 feet wide, situated on the west side of 6th street west, between L and M north, and improved by a comfortable Frame Dwelling, with back building, wood-house, a pump of excellent water, and or compared with a very side of the street water. water, and ornamented with a variety of flowers and shrubbery. Terms accommodating. Apply at No. 512 (2d story) 7th street.

POLLARD WEBB. OFFER FOR SALE. MY FARM, "Rosenvick," % miles distant from the town of Culpeper and a depet of the Orange and Alexandria R. R. vick," % miles distant from the town of Culpeper and a depet of the Orange and Alexandria R. R. This Farm contains 156 acres of land equal to any in this section of Virginia. Forty acres are in timber, the balance open land in fine order. On it is a large and valuable young Orchard now just coming into bearing, comprising all the most desirable varieties of Apples. Pears, Plums, Peaches, Apricots, Nectarines, Grapes, &c., &c., suited to our climate, a Spring of never failing pure water near the dwelling, Out-houses, &c. The Dwelling is plain, but amply sufficient to accommodate a small family. The situation for health and beauty is second to none in this region. An extensive range of mountain this region. An extensive range of mountain scenery, the beautiful Village of Culpeper, with-in a few minutes walk, offer facilities for attendfords, while the Orange and Alexandria R. Road puts it within a few hours ride of either Washington, Alexandria, or Richmond. It is seldom a farm, with as many advantages, is offered to the notice of the Persons desiring to purchase are respectfully invited to call and view the premises. It is for sale privately, but if not sold before Saturday, the lst August, on that day it will be offered at public auction, on the premises, without reserve. Terms made known at sale. For any information address R. G. BOWEN, Culpeper Court House, Va. 76 4-VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

V The subscriber offers for sale all that valuable Real Estate known as "Largo." situated in the Forest of Prince George's county, Md., containing 360 ACRES OF LAND.

This is one of the most valuable estates in this county. It is easy of cultivation, and has all the advantages of Water, and is also heavily Timbered. It adjoins the estates of Dr. David Craufurd, Geo T. Craufurd. Zachariah Berry, Sr., Dr. Benjamin Lee and others, and lays on the road leading from Bladensburg to Upper Marlborough, about five miles from Upper Marlborough and twelve from Washington City. There is also a fine Mendow, containing between 60 and 80 eighty acres of very prime Land. This land produces luxuriantly all the crops usually grown in this region of country, such as wheat, corn, ye, oats, tobacco, &c. There is about one hundred gross of primary white call. one hundred acres of prime white oak Timber Land in the tract.

Persons wishing to purchase will please call on the undersigned, living near the premises, who will take great pleasure in showing it to all such.

This land is susceptible of division, and will be divided into two lots to suit purchasers, if desired. If this land is not sold at private sale on or before THURSDAY, the 30th day of July next, it will be offered on that hav at public sale, at the subscriber's home place, to the highest hidder. There will be a plat exhibited on the day of sale.

Terms of sale: One third of the purchase money will be required in cash on the day of sale; and the salance in one and two years, with approved securi ty, bearing interest from the day of sale; or a mort Z. B. BEALL.

OR SALE-The valuable PROPERTY at the Corner of 8th and E streets, adjoining Col. Seaton's, fronting 54 feet on E and 105 feet on 8th streets For terms, &c., apply to 447 8th street, between E and F. H. H. BOONE, Executrix of Edw. Dyer,

FOR RENT-That desirable RESIDENCE on 13th street, between G and H. No. 417, having in it a Furnace, Water and Gas, with every modern im provement. To a permanent tenant rent moderate. Possession given immediately. Apply to G. D. HANSON, corner of 10th and Penn. avenue, over Washington City Saving Bank. je 26-eost* OR SALE .- A valuable tract of LAND, con-

Training about 63 acres, and within 3 miles of Washington city, Terms: One-fourth cash; balance in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in cash, and a years in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in cash, and a years in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in cash, and a years in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; or half in 1, ance in city property, improved. Apply at No. 512 (2d story) 7th street. POLLARD WEBB,

PARM FOR SALE.—A piece of fine LAND on Rock Creek, in Montgomery county, Md., six miles from the heights of Georgetown, adjoining the lands of Messrs. Perry. Wood, Bestor, Nowles, Bohrer, and Hawkins, 1123 acres. A beautiful loca-tion; partially improved; new house; 13 acres rich creek bottom, and some fine yellow-pine timber. I can be divided, if desired. Call and see the premi ses those who desire to purchase.

POR SALE.—My RESIDENCE on the corner of New Jersey avenue and C street south, Capitol Hill, fronting on the avenue 162 feet 9 inches, and on C street south 26 feet 11 inches, and containing nearly 34,000 square feet. W. F. PHILLIPS.

FOR SALE CHEAP—And on liberal terms, the following FRAME DWELLINGS, viz: One just finished, and situated on the northwest corner of 22d and H streets, in the First Ward; one just finished, and on the west side of 1st street west, be tween K and I, and in a rapidly improving part of the city; one on the east side of 26th street west, between E and F, and near Easby's Ship Yard;" and two, Nos. 116 and 113, on north side East Capitol street. Also, five more, situated in different parts of the city. Apply at No. 512 (2d story) 7th street. je 19 POLLARD WEBB.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE.—The STOCK, GOOD WILL, and FIXTURES of a Drug Store, eligibly situated, doing an excellent prescription business. This is an opportunity seldem to be met with, as the owner intends leaving the business altogether. Address "Pharmacoutist," City Post 1e 26-eo2w

TO OWNERS OF CITY PROPERTY AND CAPITALISTS.—The subscriber offers to pur chase and sell Real Estate on commission. Having occasion to visite all parts of the city, and critically to examine every class of property unusual opportu-nities of buying and selling to advantage are present-ed. Office corner of Penn. avenue and 10th street, over Savings Bank. GRAFTON D. HANSON.

DESIRABLE COUNTRY RESIDENCE FOR SALE.—One mile and a half from the Northern Market on 7th street road. The place contains a Dwelling House with 13 rooms, and all necessary out buildings, with a pump of excellent water. There are 3% acres fronting 14th and 7th street roads. The Furniture, etc., will be sold with the place if desired. For price and terms, enquire of JOHN B. WARD, 12th and Canal streets. jy 3-eo3t

FOR SALE—On liberal terms, that valuable SQUARE OF GROUND No. 133, situated between 18th and 19th streets and R and S, containing 100,000 feet. Apply at No. 512 (2d story) 7th street. je 15 POLLARD WEBB, Agent.

VERY DESIRABLE COUNTRY-SEAT FOR SALE NEAR WASHINGTON.—The subscribers will sell the valuable farm on which he now resides, in the District of Columbia, containing about one hundred and ten acres, one-half cleared and the remainder well wooded. The improvements consist of a new frame dwelling, containing eight rooms, with all the necessary out-houses, including an icehouse filled with ice.

If desired, he will divide it into lots of from fifteen

There are several sites for building commanding beautiful views of inland scenery, with several never failing springs of the purest water.

The property lies about two miles from the Navy Yard bridge, and, being proverbially healthy, presents peculiar advantages to those who intend to build and desire to possess a healthy retreat near the city.
For particulars apply to Mr. T. M. Hanson, No.
512 Seventh street, Mr. James E. Thompson, No.
— Pennsylvania avenue, or to the subscriber on the premises. may 29—eotf ANTHONY ADDISON.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESTRABLE LIT THE FARM, STOCK, FARMING UTENSILS, &c.—The owner, desiring to move to the West, offers for sale a FARM of sixty-six acres. more or less, situated in Alexandria county, Virginia, within two miles of the Georgetown Ferry, with the stock, implements, &c., upon it. For a Market-garden Farm it is unsurpassed in its location, soil, buildings, and other advantages. The terms will be made satisfactory. For further information the owner of the above property is authorzed to refer any one desiring to obtain such a place to W. D. Wallach, at the Star office, who knows the

property well. je 22-2awSw DESTRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The SUMMER RESIDENCE of Geo. M. P.bb., about two hours' ride from the District of Columbia. This Farm contains about 400 acres, and hes beautifully for division. The owner will sell the whole or a part, with or without the stock.

On the place there is a fine new house nearly finished, besides the family residence, a great deal of excellent fruit, and some fine horses and cattle. The place is proverbial for its healthfulness and de-For further particulars inquire at his residence,

corner of Fayette and Second streets, Georgetown, D. C., or through the post office of the same place. je 24-w3m GEO. M. BIBB. POX & VAN HOOK, REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

sale a number of Building Lots 24 feet front by 130 feet deep, at the very low price of from \$75 to \$125 each—payable in small monthly instalments of \$3 per These Lots are situated at Union Town, on the

south side of the Anacostia river, adjoining the Na-

vy-yard Bridge, and are in every way desirable for persons wishing a cheap, pleasant, and healthy location for a dwelling.

Lot-holders in arrears are requested to complete their purchase, and get their deeds; the title to these Lots is guaranteed free and clear from every possible incumbrance. may 25-3m FOR SALE OR RENT.-THE DESIRABLE RESIDENCE on the corner of F and 21st sts., together with the Grounds surrounding it. The

House contains sixteen rooms, has gas throughout, and furnace. The stable will be sold or rented with the house if desired. The lot the house stands on is 50 by 136 feet, but the purchaser can have more land if desired.

Also, for Sale—The LOT OF GROUND on the corner of F and 19th streets, and LOTS on 19th, near F street. Apply to CHUBB BROTHERS.

Summer Retreats, &c.

BLAKISTONE'S PAVILION.

This favorite place of resort will be opened on the Ist of July for the accommodation of visitors.

The proprietor has engaged a fine Cotillon Band for the season, and with his splendid Ball Room offers great inducements to the lovers of the dance, while those of more quiet humor may find different amusements at the Bowling Alley or in

Fishing, &c.
The Luxuries of the Potomac and good Liquors will be constantly on hand.
This is known to be one of the healthiest places on the river, near Blakistone's Island. There will be a celebration on the Fourth of July, and Ball at night. Cotillon on the 23d of July, 13th

and Ball at night. Cotilion on the 2sd of July, 18th, and 27th of August.

The steamers Columbia and Maryland leaves passengers on every Wednesday and Saturday's, and returning on every Sunday, Tuesday, and Fridays. The steamer Kent leaves Baltimore at 30'clock every Monday evenings, and returns on Wednesday Post Office-Milestown, St. Mary's county, Md. Board - \$1.25 per day for a week or longer: \$1.50 for shorter time. GEO. W. BLAKISTONE. Proprietor.

WARREN WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS. One mile from Buckton Station, on the Gap Railroad, and in the direct route to Capon and Burner's Springs, is now open Capon and Burner's Springs, is now open to the capon and Burner's Springs, is now open to the capon and Burner's Springs, is now open to the capon and spring of visitors.

Comfortable Conches will run daily between Buck on and the Springs, upon the arrival and departure Passengers leaving Baltimore, Washington, and Alexandria by the morning trains, will reach the Springs about noon of the same day, and returning will arrive at Alexandria and Washington in time to

Post Office, Buckton, Warren county, Va. BOARD: 9. 2d do. 3 d do. J. S. DAVIDSON, President, S. J. SAUNDERS,

HYGEIA HOTEL, OLD POINT COMFORT, VA. This most delightful Summer resort—the "bright particular locality of all the sunny South"—is now the sole property of the undersigned, and will be opened on the lst of June next, and each successive June following. engage to make it to the seekers for health, recreating engage to make it to the seekers for health, recreation, gaiety and good living, supremely attractive.

For health, no mountain retreat can be safer at any season of the year. It is as exempt from disease in August and September and October as in April. May or June. Indeed the first three are infinitely the most pleasant of the season. The weather is milder, the sea breeze balmier, and the luxuries of the sait water are to be had of finer quality and in greater profusion. There is no more inviting spot on the whole Atlantic seaboard. It is strictly true of it what the poet hath said: what the poet hath said:

"Oh! if there be an Elysium on earth, it is this, it Drs. Archer. Jarvis, and other army surgeons at the post, Hon. Dr. Francis Mallory, Drs. Semple. Simkins, Sheild. Hope, and Vaughan, and indeed the whole medical Faculty resident in the vicinity of Fort Monroe, all certify that they "have never known a case of billious or ague and fever to ori ginate there, and that at all seasons it is the healthiest spot on the face of the earth." (See their certificates in De Bow's Review, Southern Planter, and American Farmer. may 22-d6w&law2m JOS. SEGAR, Proprietor.

G. A. SPRINGMAN'S RESTAURANT, next door west of Adams' Express Office, respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he has laid in a large stock of the famous Philadelphia and Beck's Baltimore LAGER BEER, so celebrated for its purity and health inspiring qualities, together with the finest LIQUORS, WINES, ALES, &c. His Larder is at all times supplied with the best of eatables that the market can afford, of which he would particularly mention can afford, of which he would particularly mention his stock of genuine Swiss and Limburger CHEESE, HOLLAND HERRING, &c., all of which will be served up at the shortest notice, and in the best style. He respectfully invites the public to give

PAUQUIER WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, VIRGINIA.

This highly improved and well established WATERING PLACE, is now open for the public reception. The trains on the Orange Road, from Alexandria west, and from Gordonsville east, connect at Warrenton with lines of Stages for the Springs, distant six miles by a graded road. Passengers from Baltimore and Washington city, arrive at the Springs at 10% o'clock a. m., and from Richmond and the South to dinner. All inquiries promptly responded to by letter and circulars giving particulars, forwarded upon appli-cation. THOMAS B. P. INGRAM, je 10-1m ALEXANDER BAKER.

THE MOUNTAIN HOUSE,
CAPON SPRINGS, VIRGINIA,
Will be opened for the reception of Visitors,
on MONDAY, 22d June.
Through tickets can be obtained at Baltimore, Vashington, Richmond and Alexandria.

Passengers leaving Baltimore, in the early morn-ing train, via Alexandria and Manasas Gap Railroad o Strasburg, reach the Springs from 5 to 6 o'clock same evening; and those from Baltimore and the West via Harper's Ferry and Winchester from 8 to 9 p. m. J. N. BUCK, Proprietor.

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